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## **VIA ECF ONLY**

The Honorable Ramon E. Reyes Magistrate, United States District Court Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East, Rm. 12175 Brooklyn, New York 11201

RE:

Boyd v. Liberty Ashes, Inc. (Case No. 23-cv-0641 (NRM)(RER))

Dear Magistrate Reyes:

As your files should reflect, the undersigned represents Defendants in the above referenced matter. In accordance with your Order of May 11, 2023, please accept this correspondence as the Joint Reply of the Parties.

Payroll documentation was provided by Defendants to Plaintiff, and revised offers and counteroffers were exchanged between the parties, all in a timely manner. While the Plaintiff and Defendant are still apart in their demands, it is the belief of both parties that they would benefit from a Mediation conducted by you. Therefore, it is requested that you provide dates for mediation statements and for the conducting of a mediation.

In the interim, the parties will continue settlement discussions. In the event a settlement is reached before the settlement conference, we will notify the court promptly.

Thank you for your anticipated cooperation in this regard.

Very truly yours,

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